

Docket No.: 050023-0162

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Kouichi TAKAMINE	:	Confirmation Number: 9422
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Application No.: 10/043,246	:	Group Art Unit: 3621
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Filed: January 14, 2002	:	Examiner: James A. Reagan
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For: IMAGE OUTPUT TIME MANAGEMENT METHOD AND THE RECORD MEDIA	:	

**RESPONSE TO ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2007, please enter a response as follows.